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BOARD OF REVENUE (FOOD PRODUCTION)
SUBJECT.

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Food Production - New Well Subsidy Scheme 1947-48 - Completion of wells - Extension of time till 30-6-1950 - Proposals - Submitted.

Ref:No.F.P.I.3351/50-1, dated 28th March, 1950.

From

Sri V.S.Hejmadi, I.C.S.,
Commissioner of Food Production.

Sri N.S.Mani, I.C.S.,
Secretary to the Commissioner of Food Production.

Read: (1) From the Collector of South Kanara, Ref:C.1636/50-F.P-II, dated 3.2.1950.
(2) From the Special Deputy Collector for wells, Nellore, Rc.No.72/50 dated 11.2.1950.
(3) From the Collector of Anantapur, L.Dis.B.3.2073/50, da 11.2.1950.
(4) From the Collector of Chittoor, No.B6.3500/50, dated 17.2.1950.

The Government in their Memorandum No.~~22~~ 34546-E/49-6, Revenue, dated 22-11-1949 have granted extension of time till 31-12-1949 for the completion of wells subsidised under the 1947-48 Scheme. Some of the Collectors now represent that a number of wells under the 1947-48 Scheme were incomplete on 31-12-1949, that labour could not be secured between June and December due to intensive agricultural operations, that due to early break of monsoon, the water table was high and that the best season to undertake exvacation of wells is from January to June. They have, therefore, recommended that a further extension of time till 30-6-1950 may be granted for the completion of the wells under the 1947-48 Scheme.

2. The monthly progress report for December 1949 shows that out of 47,108 wells subsidised under the 1947-48 Scheme, 13,584 are in progress and 23,459 have been completed. Thus more than 25% of the wells subsidised are in progress and can be declared completed and made useful if extension of ~~tim~~ time is granted. In view of the above fact and for the reasons stat by the Collectors, the Board recommends that the Government may be pleased to grant a final extension of time till 30.6.1950 for the completion of wells subsidised under the 1947-48 Scheme and to fix the last date as 31-12-1949 for the commencement of well works.

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for Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue, Department, Fort St. George, Madras-9.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
ABSTRACT.

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GROW MORE FOOD - New Well Subsidy Scheme, 1947-48 - Extension of time for commencement and completion of works subsidised under the Scheme till 30th June 1950 and 31st December 1949 respectively - Sanctioned.

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